

WESTOW

PARISH COUNCIL

Westow Parish Council Meeting – Wednesday 14th November 2018– 7.30pm - Village Hall

Attendees:

Helen Crews (Chair) Angela Fothergill (Clerk) Margaret Thompson (MT); John Smith (J Smith); Christine Smith (C Smith) Mike Smith (MS); Neil Johnson (NJ) Pennie Hamer (PH) Geraldine Burton (GB); Richard J Bannister (RJB)

Caroline Goodrick County Councillor, 2 Members of the Public

Apologies Neil Thompson (NT)

The minutes from September's meeting were proposed by PH and seconded by JS as a correct record.

Richard Bannister was co-opted on to the Council, this was proposed by CS and seconded by PH

Clerks Update

AF had provisionally arranged the dates for the 2019 meetings which are as follows: _

9^h January

6^h March

8th May - AGM

10th July

11th September

13th November

Budget

JS informed the Council that the second half of the Precept had been received of £1150. The PC account now stood at £5500.

After discussion it was agreed to hold an interim meeting/discussion regarding the 2019/2020 Precept requirements. JS to gather together information regarding required expenditure for the forthcoming year.

AF to date had not received the Precept form from RDC – she had chased this up via email

Planning Applications

Two planning applications had been advised of via email, it was noted that Planning Applications would no longer be distributed by post and could only be accessed on the website or by going to the RDC offices to view the plans.

Chestnut House Main Street Westow Malton YO60 7NE – erection of Orangery/Conservatory to existing dwelling.

Land At The Old School House Main Street Westow Malton – erection of 2 bedroom dwelling in the land belonging to The Old School House

After brief discussion it was asked that Councillors access the RDC Planning website and get back to HC/AF with any comments regarding the above Applications by the **21st November 2018**.

AF to circulate the relevant Planning Application Nos for access to the documents relating to the above Applications.

AOB

Potholes were again becoming a problem within the Parish, **AF to report various problem potholes around the village on the Parish Portal.**

PH had received an email from Ron Welford concerned at the speed of vehicles going towards the new Community Building from the village and wondered if the speed restriction could be extended to the top of the hill past the Community Building.

AF to email Andrew Santon from Highways and explained that as the village facilities has now extended with a new Community Building being positioned just outside the village and people are now walking up from the village to attend various functions/events could the speed restriction be extended.

A brief discussion took place re the village green – **AF to put on Agenda for January's meeting.**

The meeting ended at 9.00

Next meeting 9th January 2019